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TITLE:	METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR PROVIDING USER LOCATION INFORMATION FOR A PERSONAL INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FROM TRANSMITTING DEVICES		

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Dear Sir:

The attorney for Applicants and the Examiner have scheduled a phone interview for 1:00PM (EST). Applicants submit an agenda for the phone interview as an informal communication, not to be entered into the prosecution record.

Applicants want to discuss the patentability over claims 1, 13, and 25 of the cited Beadle. In particular, Applicants want to discuss why the cited Beadle does not disclose the requirement of adding the location description from at least one of the transmitting device records to at least one user record associated with the user of the wireless device.

The cited cols. 6-7 of Beadle discuss a smart hospital providing smart badges to patients to report their current location, so that each person that sees the patient and each procedure performed generates data in the central computer so that the procedure results may be recorded with the patient record. Nowhere does this discussion of the smart hospital anywhere disclose adding the location description from at least one of the transmitting device records to at least one user record associated with the user of the wireless device.

The cited Section 5.2 discusses a diary agent that records all the places the smart badge wearer went during the day, how long at the location and who else was there. Notwithstanding, nowhere does the cited Section 5.2 anywhere disclose adding the location description from at

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least one of the transmitting device records to at least one user record associated with the user of the wireless device.

The cited Section 5.2 further discusses an intelligent fitness center. The patron's badge identifies the user to equipment and the patron's exercise profile is loaded from a badge to the exercise equipment. Performance measurements may be gathered at the exercise machine and logged to the patron's database for later analysis. Although the cited Section 5.2 discusses how performance information may be added to a user's records, Applicants want to discuss why the cited Section 5.2 does not disclose the claim requirement of adding the location description from at least one of the transmitting device records to at least one user record associated with the user of the wireless device.

Applicants further want to discuss the requirements of claims 2-4 and certain of other of the rejected dependent claims with respect to the cited Beadlc.

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